

## Five faculty members to receive Guggenheim Fellowships

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Five members of the faculty of the University of California, San Diego have been awarded fellowships by the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation.

The five and the research areas in which they will receive support for a year's continuous work are: Dr. Frederick G. Bailey, professor of anthropology, "Comparative studies in social anthropology;" Dr. Warren L. Butler, professor of biology, "Biophysical studies of photosynthesis;" Ira Schneider, visiting lecturer in visual arts, "Video art;" Dr. Martin M. Shapiro, professor of political science, "A comparative study of courts and judicial processes," and Dr. Christopher J. Wills, associate professor of biology, "Studies on the genetic basis of evolution."

Grants were made to 313 scholars, scientists and artists chosen by the Committee of Selection from among 3,050 applicants in the foundation's 53rd annual competition. Fellowships are awarded on the basis of demonstrated accomplishment in the past and strong promise for the future.

The great majority of fellows teach in American colleges and universities. Two UC campuses led the field in numbers of grants awarded. Sixteen UC Berkeley faculty members received fellowships and there were 12 recipients at UCLA. 1977 Fellowship awards this year totalled \$4,602,000. During its history the foundation has granted nearly \$70 million in fellowships.

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